

PROPOSED SENATE FIRST READERS

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 2016

TWENTY-SECOND LEGISLATIVE DAY

SB 379. By Senators Ginn of the 47th, Wilkinson of the 50th, Harper of the 7th, Mullis of the 53rd, Albers of the 56th and others:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Code Section 48-8-3 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to exemptions from sales and use taxes, so as to provide an exemption for fire districts which have elected governing bodies and are supported by ad valorem taxes; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

SB 380. By Senator Gooch of the 51st:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend an Act to reconstitute the Board of Commissioners of White County, approved May 13, 2008 (Ga. L. 2008, p. 4205), as amended, so as to provide for compensation increases for members of the board; to provide for an effective date; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

SB 381. By Senators Thompson of the 14th, Hufstetler of the 52nd, Burke of the 11th, Mullis of the 53rd, Albers of the 56th and others:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Title 31 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to health, so as to provide regulations for administration, compounding, and importation of certain cellular material; to specifically prohibit administration of certain cellular material; to provide for definitions; to provide a short title; to provide for related matters; to provide for an effective date; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

SB 382. By Senator Unterman of the 45th:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Title 33 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to insurance, so as to provide for consumer protections regarding health insurance; to provide for definitions; to provide for disclosure requirements of providers, hospitals, and insurers; to provide for billing and reimbursement of out-of-network services; to provide for procedures for dispute resolution for surprise bills for nonemergency services; to provide for payment of emergency services; to provide for an out-of-network reimbursement rate workgroup; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

SB 383. By Senators Ginn of the 47th, Mullis of the 53rd, Black of the 8th, Williams of the 27th, Sims of the 12th and others:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Chapter 6 of Title 32 of the O.C.G.A., relating to the regulation of maintenance and use of public roads, so as to provide for the purpose of the Roadside Enhancement and Beautification Council; to provide for the issuance of permits for the removal or trimming of vegetation on state rights of way when such vegetation obstructs the target viewing zone of a building, sign, or structure upon commercial property; to provide for procedures, conditions, and limitations for the issuance of such permits; to provide for the department to set standards for applications and fees for such permits; to prohibit the removal or certain types of vegetation; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

SB 384. By Senators Thompson of the 14th, Mullis of the 53rd, Cowser of the 46th, Bethel of the 54th and Hill of the 32nd:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Part 1 of Article 2 of Chapter 13 of Title 16 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to schedules, offenses, and penalties regarding controlled substances, so as to provide for mandatory minimum sentences for the sale of or trafficking in heroin; to provide for related matters; to provide for an effective date and applicability; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

SB 385. By Senator Hill of the 32nd:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Article 2 of Chapter 34 of Title 43 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to medical practice relative to physicians, assistants, and others, so as to provide for certain requirements for advertisement or publication of representations of board certification by physicians; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

SB 386. By Senator Hill of the 6th:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Article 1 of Chapter 13 of Title 48 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to general provisions regarding specific, business, and occupation taxes, so as to revise the types of occupation taxes, regulatory fees, and administrative fees that may be levied by local governments; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

SR 978. By Senator Ginn of the 47th:

A RESOLUTION honoring the life of Sheriff Dewey George Seagraves and dedicating an intersection in his memory; and for other purposes.

SR 979. By Senators Burke of the 11th, Harper of the 7th, Black of the 8th, Kirk of the 13th and Mullis of the 53rd:

A RESOLUTION commending the Colquitt County Packers football team for winning the 2015 Class AAAAAA State Championship and National Rankings; and for other purposes.

- SR 980.** By Senator Albers of the 56th:
- A RESOLUTION commending Job Creators Network and recognizing February 22, 2016, as Job Creators Network Day at the state capitol; and for other purposes.
- SR 981.** By Senators Hufstetler of the 52nd, Unterman of the 45th, Burke of the 11th and Orrock of the 36th:
- A RESOLUTION recognizing February 24, 2016, as Physical Therapy Day at the state capitol; and for other purposes.
- SR 982.** By Senators Hufstetler of the 52nd, Unterman of the 45th, Burke of the 11th and Orrock of the 36th:
- A RESOLUTION recognizing the Anesthesiology Assistants of Georgia; and for other purposes.
- SR 983.** By Senators Millar of the 40th, McKoon of the 29th, Orrock of the 36th and Wilkinson of the 50th:
- A RESOLUTION creating the Senate Study Committee on Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals; and for other purposes.
- SR 984.** By Senators Mullis of the 53rd, Harper of the 7th, Kennedy of the 18th, Hill of the 4th, Dugan of the 30th and others:
- A RESOLUTION honoring the life of U.S. Navy Petty Officer 2nd Class Randall Smith and dedicating an intersection in his memory; and for other purposes.
- SR 985.** By Senators Tate of the 38th, Orrock of the 36th, Parent of the 42nd, Henson of the 41st, Butler of the 55th and others:
- A RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to the Constitution so as to create the Worker and Family Paid Leave and Disability Fund; to provide for nonlapsing of funds therein; to authorize the dedication of certain taxes to be deposited into such fund; to provide for the submission of this amendment for ratification or rejection; and for other purposes.
- SR 986.** By Senator Shafer of the 48th:
- A RESOLUTION honoring Johns Creek High School and recognizing Stephen Hahn, Sneha Iyer, Preeti Iyer, Jacob Abramow, and Tiffany Hsieh for their Best in Nation win in the Verizon Innovative App Challenge; and for other purposes.
- SR 987.** By Senators Kennedy of the 18th, Walker III of the 20th, Miller of the 49th, Black of the 8th, Beach of the 21st and others:
- A RESOLUTION commending the Miss Georgia Peach Scholarship Pageant and congratulating the 2015 Georgia Peach Queens; and for other purposes.

- SR 988.** By Senators Stone of the 23rd, Jones of the 25th, Beach of the 21st, Dugan of the 30th, Ginn of the 47th and others:
- A RESOLUTION urging the United States Congress to enact the Fair Tax Act; and for other purposes.
- SR 989.** By Senators Henson of the 41st, Millar of the 40th and Parent of the 42nd:
- A RESOLUTION honoring the life of Detective Robert Shane Wilson and dedicating a bridge in his memory; and for other purposes.
- SR 990.** By Senators Thompson of the 5th, Sims of the 12th, Tippins of the 37th, Unterman of the 45th, Butler of the 55th and others:
- A RESOLUTION commending the Georgia State University football team for their record-breaking season; and for other purposes.
- SR 991.** By Senators Parent of the 42nd, Shafer of the 48th, Unterman of the 45th, McKoon of the 29th, Orrock of the 36th and others:
- A RESOLUTION recognizing the month of April, 2016, as Genocide Prevention and Awareness Month at the Capitol; and for other purposes.
- SR 992.** By Senators James of the 35th, Rhett of the 33rd, Henson of the 41st and Jones II of the 22nd:
- A RESOLUTION recognizing the Georgia Athletic Trainers' Association; and for other purposes.
- SR 993.** By Senators James of the 35th, Rhett of the 33rd, Tate of the 38th, Henson of the 41st and Jones II of the 22nd:
- A RESOLUTION creating the Senate Strengthening Parental Participation in Education Study Committee; and for other purposes.
- SR 994.** By Senators James of the 35th, Rhett of the 33rd, Henson of the 41st and Jones II of the 22nd:
- A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending Christian Missionary Baptist Church on the occasion of its 30th anniversary in April, 2016; and for other purposes.
- SR 995.** By Senators Miller of the 49th, Wilkinson of the 50th, Ginn of the 47th, Dugan of the 30th, Kennedy of the 18th and others:
- A RESOLUTION honoring Deshaun Watson; and for other purposes.
- SR 996.** By Senators Miller of the 49th, Unterman of the 45th, Millar of the 40th, Hill of the 4th, Kennedy of the 18th and others:
- A RESOLUTION recognizing March 8, 2016, as Children's Day at the state capitol; and for other purposes.

SR 997. By Senators Orrock of the 36th, Tate of the 38th, Fort of the 39th, Seay of the 34th, Davenport of the 44th and others:

A RESOLUTION commending Congressman John Lewis through the naming of a new class of fleet oilers; and for other purposes.